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MEMORANDUM: DD/I [REDACTED] 25X1A8a
FROM: DD/P [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: Recent Studies on International Communism

1. Attached for your information are three studies produced recently by the [REDACTED] 25X1A8a

2. The brief, titled Indications of Intensified Communist Party Clandestine Activities, points up the fact that no matter what the political fortunes of the Communist Party may be at any given time, its clandestine operations continue in full force.

3. The study on the Pathet Lao-Royal Laotian Government negotiations and the agreements of August 1956 was compiled from several short papers written for DD/P internal use, as an illustration of the techniques of international Communism in negotiations and advance toward control of a government. Since the time of writing, Royal Laotian Government resistance to a deal with the Communists has stiffened. Although the situation is still in flux, the danger of the Communists entering the army and government appears to have lessened.

25X1X4 4. The study on the World Federation of Teachers' Unions was written some time ago [REDACTED] It has been issued in its present form to provide background information on the organization, which is the teachers' trade department of the World Federation of Trade Unions. It is the international front organization through which Communist propaganda and tactics are coordinated in the field of education in the Free world.

5. Your comments on these studies would be welcomed, and any additional or corrective information as well.

6. The following International Communism studies have previously been forwarded to you:

Coordination of the International
Communist Movement: Deterioration
and Remedial Measures

2 January 1957

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Briefs on International Communism, I: 18 January 1957
"More on the Historical Experience
of the Dictatorship of the Proletariat",
as an Expression of the International
Communist Party Line for 1957

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Crisis of International Communism: 11 February 1957
Impact of Hungarian Events on the
Movement Outside the Bloc

Directories of the International 6 March 1957
Communist-front Organizations and
Communist Societies of Friendship
and Cultural Relations

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The Major Components of the Communist 6 March 1957
Movement in Mexico

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Briefs on International Communism, II 3 April 1957
New Information on Khrushchev's
Attack on Stalin at 20th CPSU Congress

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Supplement to "The Major Components 1 May 1957
of the Communist Movement in Mexico"

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We would appreciate any comments you may have on these studies.

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a. Briefs on International Communism, III

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